

**If you're blind or visually impaired and would like to see the possibilities.....**

**Let's get started**

**Becoming empowered to change your future...**

Requires self awareness of skills and abilities, knowing what your options are, and a willingness to work toward a realistic goal.

Having the tools you need, knowing how to use them, and being prepared to take the necessary steps, will allow you to fulfill your potential.

**When it's all about independence:**

Learn to take care of yourself and function effectively at home, in school, at work, or at play.

**How does it work?**

Everyone's circumstances are different. Individuals meet with a counselor to identify goals - and together, develop and implement a plan.

**Services vary according to need:**

Whether it's to get an education, train for employment, get or keep a job, or maintain independence in your home, your efforts combined with available services will help you succeed in reducing the limitations that result from a loss of vision.

**We offer:**

- Counseling and guidance
- Assessment of skills, interests, and abilities
- Transition services for students
- Technology

- Low vision services
- Orientation & mobility services
- Rehabilitation training

### **When it's all about jobs, jobs, jobs:**

DBVI offers vocational counseling, coordination of services, and assistance with access to programs to help you secure and maintain employment.

### **DBVI provides:**

- Career Exploration
- Vocational Training
- Post-secondary education
- Adaptive equipment and technology
- Job seeking skills
- Employer assistance
- Small business development
- Job placement services

### **For more information, contact:**

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**Working together to achieve your goals...**

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